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Applicants: Tomonao KAWASHIMA, et al.

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Title: ULTRASONIC DIAGNOSTIC APPARATUS

TC/A.U.: 3768

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 9, 2007 (Paper No. 20070927), which set a period for response to expire on January 9, 2008, that period being extended three (3) months to expire on April 9, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.